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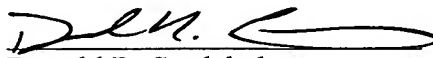
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Applicant hereby elects Group I, corresponding to the embodiment of Figure 1, wherein claims 1-6 are readable thereon. No generic claim being present.

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